U6LM2B-WS- Empirical and Molecular Formulas Name: _____

- 1. The empirical formula of a compound is also called the ______ formula. It represents the ______.
- 2. The molecular formula represents the _____.
- 3. The empirical formula and the molecular formula are mathematically related as follows:

Molecular formula = _____.

- 4. Can the molecular formula be the same as the empirical formula? Explain.
- 5. The molecular formula for glucose is $C_6H_{12}O_6$.
 - a. What is its empirical formula?
 - b. The molecular formula of glucose, $C_6H_{12}O_6 =$ _____ x _____
 - c. The molecular weight of glucose is ______. It is equal to ______.
- 6. The molecular formula of benzene is C_6H_6 .
 - a. What is its empirical formula? _____
 - b. The molecular formula of benzene, C_6H_6 = _____ x ____
- 7. The empirical formula of a compound is NH and its molecular weight is 32.0 amu. What is its molecular formula?
- The empirical formula of a compound is CH. Its molecular weight is 30.0 amu.
 What is its molecular formula?

- 9. A compound is 81.7% carbon and 18.3% hydrogen.
 - a. What is its empirical formula?

- b. The formula weight of this compound is 44.0 amu. Is the molecular formula different than the empirical formula?
- 10. Butyric acid is 54.5% carbon, 9.09% hydrogen and 36.4% oxygen.
 - a. What is its empirical formula?

- b. Its molar mass is 88.0 g/mol. What is the molecular formula of butyric acid?
- 11. Isopropyl alcohol contains C, H, and O. When we burn 11.63 g of this compound, the products are 25.5 g CO₂ and 14.0 g H₂O.
 - a. What is the empirical formula?

b. The molar mass of the alcohol is 60.0 g/mol. What is its molecular formula?

 The complete combustion of a 0.5728 g sample of a compound that contains only C, H, and O produced 0.840 g of carbon dioxide and 0.254 g of water. The molar mass of the compound was determined to be about 60.0 g/mol.

What is the molecular formula of this compound?